



# INDIANA EARLY LEARNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

## Workforce and Professional Development Workgroup

Meeting Minutes Summary

Date: May 6, 2014

### MEMBERS

Kevin Bain

Melanie Brizzi

Charlie Geier

Becky Minglin

Tammy Veselsky

Alonzo Weems

### ADVISORY MEMBERS

John Burnett

Connie Sherman

#### Attendees:

John Burnett, Diana Wallace, Tammy Veselsky, Marsha Lindsey, Ann Ruhmkorff, Ashley Bowers, Angela Tomlin, Michael Hicks, Pat Clark, Christina VanOsdol, Terri Swim, Michelle Roberts-Schneider, Holli Seabury, Pamela Musick, Darren Bickel, Josh Wenning, Becky Carothers, Hanan Osman

#### Key Topics Discussed:

1. ELAC and Workgroup Framework
2. Workgroup responsibilities for upcoming ELAC June 30<sup>th</sup> report to Governor
3. Legislative Study Commission Questions (HEA 1004)

#### Key Questions Raised:

Overall agreement on a need to better understand capacity for the Early Childhood Education (ECE) Workforce:

1. How many people are employed today?
2. How many people are needed in the field?
3. What are the current expectations for credentials?
4. What is the current/anticipated compensation?
5. What is the breakdown by ethnicity and language?

#### Action Steps:

1. Assist ELAC in the development of the June 30<sup>th</sup> report to the Governor.
2. Review last year's Race to the Top submission, Section D to get a broad understanding of the ECE workforce and professional development systems in place.

#### Next Meeting

Date: Thursday, June 19, 2014 Time: 1:00-5:00

Location: Traders Point Christian Church- The Point Meeting Room (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor)  
6590 S. Indianapolis Rd, Whitestown, IN, 46075